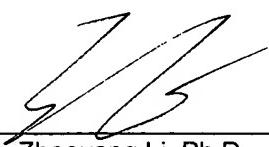


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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Rogers:

This communication responds to the Final Office Action mailed on December 27, 2006.

Accompanying this communication is a Statement of Common Ownership.